Hurricane Preparedness Tips

STARTING POINTS:

- ❖ Develop your personal disaster plan on how you will protect your household and your property.
- Check your insurance coverage and be sure it includes replacement coverage, flood, and wind protection.
- Trim your trees and bushes in May so they will survive damaging winds. You can get tree-trimming tips from the Miami-Dade Cooperative Extension Office.

CITIZENS CHECKLIST: Based on National Hurricane Center forecasts, Miami-Dade County will announce in the local media information about what citizens should be doing as a storm is approaching. Once residents and tourists hear that a tropical storm has formed, listen for these stages of readiness:

Ready: There is a storm threat - review your plan and get ready

Set: A storm is likely - take actions to protect your home and business.

Safety: A storm is forecast to strike - orders and instructions to evacuate and/or to take shelter will follow.

EVACUATION: If you live in an evacuation zone, make plans to leave early to the inland home of a friend or family member.

- ❖ IF YOU LIVE IN A MOBILE HOME OR ARE **ELECTRICALLY DEPENDENT YOU SHOULD EVACUATE FOR ANY CATEGORY OF TROPICAL** STORM OR HURRICANE.
- Rehearse your evacuation plan with your household and leave extra time for traffic. Fuel vehicles.

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- STS users: STS has a very limited number of vehicles and will only provide one (1) trip during evacuations.
- Beware of canals / road washouts hidden by high water.

COMMUNICATIONS:

- Establish an out-of-state or area phone number to relay messages to friends and family.
- ❖ Assign someone in your home the job of checking the weather everyday during Hurricane Season.
- Once a tropical storm has formed monitor the National Hurricane Center forecasts which are released at 5 a.m., 11 a.m., 5 p.m. and 11p.m.
- Keep a battery-operated radio and two weeks supply of batteries on hand at all times.

SHELTERING IN PLACE: If your residence is not in an evacuation zone and has hurricane shutters, you may be able to take shelter there. Remember these things:

- Take refuge in an interior hallway or smaller room with no windows, like a closet near load bearing walls.
- Keep a mattress nearby to protect your head.
- Be sure to leave a clear path to exit in case of fire and keep a fire extinguisher nearby. Only use battery operated lamps or flashlights.

SAFETY AFTER THE STORM:

- Car accidents are the main cause of injury after a hurricane; treat all intersections like a 4-way stop. Combine your trips and drive only if it's absolutely necessary.
- Stay away from all downed utility lines and do not drive over them. Do not wade in floodwaters after a storm.
- Limit your phone calls to absolute necessity and only call 911 for life threatening emergencies.
- ❖ GENERATORS: Ground your generator and do not run generators inside your home. Do not connect to your home's electrical system, it is a fire / electrocution risk.
- Operate chain saws safely, read warnings on saw.

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GET YOUR KIT TOGETHER!

The kit should have 3-14 days supply of the following items:

THE BASICS:

- Bottled Water (1 gallon per person per day)
- Manual Can opener *
- Non-perishable foods *
- Canned meat, fish, fruit, or vegetables
- Bread in moisture proof packaging
- Cookies, candy or dried fruit
- Canned soups & non perishable milk
- Powdered or single serve drinks
- Cereal or granola bars
- Packaged ketchup, mustard or mayonnaise
- Peanut butter and jelly
- Instant tea or coffee
- Flashlight (1 per person) *
- Portable battery powered lanterns
- Large trash bags (lots of them)
- Battery operated radio *
- Extra batteries, including hearing aid batteries
- First aid kit including aspirin, antibiotic cream
- Mosquito repellent
- Sun screen (45 SPF recommended)
- Water proof matches / butane lighter
- Money *
- Unscented bleach or water purification tablets (add 8 drops of bleach per gal.)
- Maps of the area with landmarks on it

COOKING:

- Sterno fuel
- Portable camp stove or grill
- Stove fuel or charcoal w/ lighter fluid
- Disposable eating utensils, plates, cups
- Napkins and paper towels
- □ Aluminum foil
- Oven mitts

PERSONAL SUPPLIES

- ☐ Prescription medicines (1 month supply and copy of prescriptions) *
- Toilet paper
- ☐ Entertainment: books, games, magazines, etc. *
- Bedding: pillows, sleeping bag *
- Change of clothing *
- Rain ponchos and work gloves
- Extra glasses or contacts

IMPORTANT DOCUMENTS*

- ☐ Insurance documents
- ☐ A list of all your important contacts (family, doctors, insurance agents)
- Banking information
- Leases / mortgage
- Proof of occupancy (such as utility bill) *
- Photo inventory of your personal belongings *
- Waterproof container to keep the documents in

BABIES:

- Disposable diapers *
- Formula, food and medication *
- Bottles and feeding utensils

PET SUPPLIES:

- Dry and canned food for 14 days
- ID tags and collars
- Proof of recent Immunizations
- Water (1/2 gallon per day)
- Litter box and supplies
- Carrying container

OTHER NECESSITIES

- Tool Box
- ABC rated fire extinguisher
- Masking tape or duct tape
- Outdoor extension cords
- Spray paint
- Standard single line phone (After hurricanes, many people still have service, but no phone)
- Local phone book

* = If you are planning to evacuate to a Red Cross Evacuation Center, please be sure to take these items

DISASTER KITS TIPS:

- ❖ WATER: Store water in sanitized bathtubs, washing machines, and water heaters as well.
- FOOD: Store food that does not require cooking.
- Keep your Important Documents in your kit, and keep extra copies in a safe place
- ❖ COOKING: Do not use charcoal or gas grills indoors. Gases from open flame can be poisonous or cause fire.
- SUPPLIES: Pack your kit in something that you can carry.

CONTACT NUMBERS:

DISASTER PREPAREDNESS INFORMATION:

The Answer Center (rumor control) 305-468-5900 ** TTY/TDD 305-468-5402 **

** 24-hour hotline during hurricanes and emergency situations only.

Emergency Evacuation Assistance Program (EEAP)

305-513-7700 TDD: 305-468-5402

Reporting Downed Utility Lines:

800-468-8243 TDD: 800-251-5325 BellSouth TDD: 305-780-2273

Customer Service (prior to the storm)

305-780-2355 TDD: 305-780-2273

TECO/

Peoples Gas 877-832-6747 TDD: 813-228-4613

DISASTER RESPONSE & RECOVERY AGENCIES

Miami-Dade Office of Emergency Management

TDD: 305-468-5402 305-468-5400

American Red Cross

305-644-1200

Salvation Army

305-637-6700

Miami-Dade Building Code Compliance

305-375-2901

Miami Dade Consumer Services (report price gouging)

TDD: 305-375-4177 305-375-3677

Cooperative Extension Office (tree trimming tips)

305-248-3311

Contact Numbers for People with Disabilities:

Special Transportation Services:

305-263-5406

TDD 305-263-5459

Florida Relay Service:

800-955-8770

Florida Department of Insurance 800-342-2762

Federal Emergency Management Agency

Teleregister for Assistance

800-621-3362 TDD: 800-462-7585

National Flood Insurance Program 800-638-6620 TDD: 800-447-9487

Miami-Dade Animal Care & Control

305-884-1101

Miami-Dade Humane Society

305-696-0801

PREPAREDNESS ON THE INTERNET:

MIAMI-DADE COUNTY OFFICE OF EMERGENCY:

As a disaster occurs, OEM updates their website in real time. It will have the most up to date information as well as preparedness tips for many disasters. Look for

this logo:

E-mail: eoc@miamidade.gov

American Red Cross Miami/Kevs Chapter

www.miamiredcross.org

Miami-Dade Building Code Compliance

www.buildingcodeonline.com

Florida Division of Emergency Management

www.floridadisaster.org

National Hurricane Center

www.nhc.noaa.gov

The Weather Channel

www.weather.com

Florida Alliance for Safe Homes (FLASH)

www.flash.org

Emergency Evacuation Assistance Program: Residents who may need assistance evacuating from a disaster must pre-register for the Emergency Evacuation Assistance Program by calling the Office of Emergency Management at (305) 513-7700 TDD (305) 468-5402 for an application. Applications are available in Creole, English and Spanish and can also be downloaded from the OEM website: www.miamidade.gov/oem.

2003 Miami-Dade County Special Needs Evacuation Centers:

ID#	Name of SNEC	Address	City/Neighborhood	Zip code
SN 60	* Jose Marti Middle	5701 West 24 Avenue	Hialeah	33016
SN 63	* Ruben Dario Middle	350 NW 97 Avenue	Sweetwater	33172
SN 68	* Miami Edison Senior	6161 NW 5 Court	City of Miami	33127
SN 69	* McMillan Middle	13100 SW 59 Street	Miami	33155
SN 75	* Highland Oaks Middle	2375 NE 203 Street	N Miami Beach	33180
SN 70	* Lawton Chiles Middle	8190 NW 197 Street	Miami	33015

^{* =} Facility is wheelchair accessible and has disabled parking spaces, access from the parking lot to the shelter building, a route from the building entrance to designated shelter area(s) and at least one (1) wheelchair accessible restroom on the ground floor.



2003 AMERICAN RED CROSS EVACUATION CENTERS



You should try to evacuate to the home of a friend or family member who lives outside of the Evacuations Zones. Red. Cross Evacuation Centers should be used as a last resort. NOT EVERY SITE WILL OPEN FOR EVERY EVACUATION! Please monitor the local radio or TV station, or call the Answer Center at (305) 468-5900 TDD (305) 468-5402 to find out which centers are available when an evacuation order is given. The Evacuation Centers are divided into four quadrants using 57th Avenue as the East-West line and Flagler/US 41 as the North-South divider.

FACILITY NAME	ADDRESS	CITY/NEIGHBORHOOD	ZIP
NOR	THEAST MIAMI-DADE	COUNTY	
*Charles Drew Middle School	1801 NW 60 Street	City of Miami	33142
*Dr Michael Krop Senior	1410 NE 215 th Street	North Miami Beach	33179
Eneida Hartner Elementary	401 NW 29 Street	City of Miami	33127
Miami Northwestern Senior	1100 NW 71st Street	City of Miami	33150
*North Miami Beach Senior	1247 NE 167 Street	North Miami Beach	33162
*North Miami Middle	13105 NE 7 Avenue	North Miami	33161
NOR	THWEST MIAMI-DADE	COUNTY	
*Barbara Goleman Senior	14100 NW 89 Avenue	Miami Lakes	33016
Ben Sheppard Elementary	5700 West 24th Avenue	Hialeah	33016
Bob Graham Educational Ctr.	1590 NW 79 Avenue	Miami Lakes	33016
American Senior	18350 NW 67 th Avenue	Hialeah	33015
*Doral Middle	5005 NW 112th Avenue	Doral	33178
Hialeah-Miami Lakes Senior	7977 West 12th Avenue	Hialeah	33014
James Bright Elementary	2530 West 10th Avenue	Hialeah	33010
Hialeah Senior	251 E 49th Street	Hialeah	33013
*Palm Lakes Elementary	7450 W 16 Avenue	Hialeah	33014
Palm Springs North Elementary		Miami Lakes	33015
	CENTRAL MIAMI-DAI	0.000	
Booker T. Washington Senior	1200 NW 6 th Avenue	City of Miami	33136
*Citrus Grove Middle	2153 NW 3 rd Street	City of Miami	33125
Paul L Dunbar Elementary	505 NW 20 Street	City of Miami	33127
*Dr Carlos Finlay Elementary	851 SW 117 th Avenue	Miami	33174
Kinloch Park Middle	4340 NW 3 rd Street	City of Miami	33126
Joe Hall Elementary	1901 SW 134 Avenue	West Miami-Dade	33175
M.S. Douglas Elementary	11901 SW 2 Street	Sweetwater	33184
*Miami Coral Park Senior	8865 SW 16 Street	West Miami-Dade	33165
Shenandoah Middle	1950 SW 19 th Street	City of Miami	33145
Stirrup Elementary	330 NW 97 th Avenue	Fontainebleau	33172
*Sunshine Pavilion @ Tamiami		Fairgrounds / FIU	33165
*W.R. Thomas Middle	13001 SW 26 Street	West Miami-Dade	33175
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Miami Palmetto Senior	7460 SW 118 Street	Pinecrest	33156
*Miami Southridge Senior	19355 SW 114 Avenue	Perrine	33157
*Southwood Middle School	16301 SW 80 Avenue	Cutler Ridge	33157
	SOUTHWEST MIAMI-D		33107
	6601 SW 152 Avenue	Miami	33193
Bowman Ashe Elementary Richmond Heights Middle	15015 SW 103 Avenue	Miami	
		Miami	33176
Robert Morgan Senior	18180 SW 122 Avenue 14550 SW 96 Street		33177
Claude Pepper Elementary	15625 SW 80 th Street	Kendall	33186
Dante Fascell Elementary	15255 SW 96 th Street	Hammocks	33193
*Felix Varela Senior		Miami	33196 33196
Gilbert Porter Elementary	15851 SW 112 Street 9889 Hammocks Blvd	Hammocks	
*Hammocks Middle School Miami Killian Senior	10655 SW 97 Avenue	Hammocks Kendall	33196
	13125 SW 72 nd St		33176
Miami Sunset Senior	900 NE 7 th Avenue	Miami	33183
Campbell Drive Middle		Homestead	33033
*Ruth Kruse Owens	11001 SW 76 th Street	Westchester	33173
*South Miami Senior	6856 SW 53 rd Street	Miami	33155
Redlands Middle School	24501 SW 162 Avenue	Miami	33031

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2003 HURRICANE EVACUATION BUS PICK-UP POINTS

Any of the following Miami-Dade Transit Agency Bus Pick-ups points will be activated only for hurricane evacuations. Residents should listen to the media or call the Team Metro Hotline at (305) 468-5900 TDD (305) 468-5402 to find out when the buses will transport people from the pick-up points to Red Cross Evacuation Centers.

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33141	North Shore Park	72 Street & Byron Avenue
	St. Joseph's School	8625 Byron Avenue
	Street Intersection	71 Street & Rue Versailles
33141	Street Intersection	79 Street & Hawthorne Avenue
33141	Street Intersection	Collins Avenue & 76 Street
33141	Street Intersection	Collins Avenue & 81 Street
33141	Street Intersection	Collins Avenue & 65 Street
	North Beaches	North From Broad Causeway
33154	Bal Harbour Village Hall	655 – 96 Street
33154	Bay Harbour Town Hall	9665 Bay Harbor Terrace
33154	Street Intersection	10285 Collins Avenue
33154	Surfside Town City Hall	9293 Harding Avenue
33160	Street Intersection	Collins Avenue & 189 Street
33160	Street Intersection	Collins Avenue & Galahad-Dade Boulevard
33160	Winston Towers Condominium	174 Street & Collins Avenue
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00407	Northeast Miami-Dade County	North From Broad Causeway
33137	Magic Mobile Home Park	NE 2 Avenue & NE 60 Street
33138	Biscayne Boulevard Mobile Home Park	NE 90 Street & Biscayne Boulevard
33138	Keystone Mobile Home Park	NE 2 Avenue & NE 63 Street
33138	Street Intersection	Biscayne Boulevard & NE 85 Street
33160	Eastern Shores Shopping Center	3466-3471 NE 163 Street
33160	Office Depot Shopping Center	178 Street & Biscayne Boulevard
33160	Stratford Condominiums	NE 29 Avenue & 163 Street
33160	Street Intersection	Biscayne Boulevard & NE 179 Street
33160	Street Intersection	NE 163 Street & NE 35 Avenue
33160	Street Intersection	NE 163 Street & NE 28 Avenue
33161	Kobe Trailer Court Mobile Home Park	11900 NE 16 Avenue
33161	Street Intersection	NE 6 Avenue & NE 147 Street
33180	Circuit City Shopping Center	207 Street & Biscayne Boulevard
33180	Lone Pine Village Mobile Home Park	20000 West Dixie Highway
33180	Street Intersection	Biscayne Boulevard & NE 209 Street
33180	Street Intersection	19800 West Dixie Highway
33180	Street Intersection	West Dixie Highway & NE 195 Street
33181		2100 San Souci Blvd
	Bay View Towers	
33181	Dorset House	2500 NE 135 Street
33181	Street Intersection	Biscayne Boulevard & NE 114 Street
33181	Target Shopping Center	Biscayne Boulevard & NE 140 Street
	Northwest Miami-Dade County	North From Flagler
33010	Anchor Mobile Home Park	2659 Okeechobee Road
33010	Wink,Blk,Nod Mobile Home Park	West 28 Street & West 14 Avenue
33012	Holiday Acres Mobile Home Park	1401 West 29 Street
33012	Street Intersection	3000 West 16 Avenue
33013	Hialeah Mobile Home Park	425 East 33 Street
33018	Frontage Road	12401 West Okeechobee Road
33055	Honeyhill Mobile Home Park	NW 49 Avenue & NW 199 Street
33055	Royal Country Mobile Home Park	5500 NW 202 Terrace
33056	Street Intersection	NW 37 Avenue & NW 199 Street
33125	Paradise Mobile Home Park	2750 NW South River Drive
33125	Street Intersection	NW 79 Street & NW 35 Avenue
33136	Culmer Mertro Rail Station	NW 7 Avenue & NW 11 Street
33142	All Star Mobile Home Park	NW 30 Avenue & NW 35 Street
33142	Carely's Mobile Home Park	NW 37 Avenue & NW 41 Street
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33142	River Park Mobile Home Park	NW 27 Avenue & NW 22 Street
33142	Royal Duke Mobile Home Park	NW 30 Avenue & NW 36 Street
33142	Street Intersection	NW 36 Street & NW 36 Avenue
33147	Bob Trailerville Mobile Home Park	NW 79 Street & NW 12 Place
33147	J Bar J Mobile Home Park	NW 30 Avenue & NW 77 Street
33147	Palm Lake Mobile Home Park	7600 NW 27 Avenue
33147	Street Intersection	NW 79 Street & NW 27 Avenue
33147	Street Intersection	NW 79 Street & NW 19 Avenue
33147	Tropical Mobile Home Park	NW 14 Avenue & NW 79 Street
33150	Colonial Mobile Home Park	NW 96 Street & NW 10 Avenue
33150	Liberty City Community Action Agency	NW 7 Avenue & NW 64 Street
	New Avocado Mobile Home Park	NW 79 Street & NW 11 Avenue
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33150 33150	Rovell Mobile Home Park	NW 81 Street & NW 9 Avenue

	2003 HURRICANE EVACUATION BUS PICK-UP POINTS	(continued)
33150	Street Intersection	NW 79 Street & NW 2 Avenue
33150	Sunnyland &Trinidad Mobile Home Park	NW Miami Court & NW 79 Street
33166	Medley Mobile Home Park	8181 NW South River Drive
33167	Myricks Mobile Home Park	NW 119 Street & NW 16 Avenue
33172	Street Intersection	NW 112 Avenue & NW 5 Street
33172	Street Intersection	NW 112 Avenue & NW 3 Terrace
33178	Medley Lakeside Retirement	10601 NW 105 Way
	South Beach Area	North From South Pointe Park
33139	Alton Towers Condominium	14 Street & Alton Road
33139	Council Towers South	533 Collins Avenue
33139	Euclid Gardens Condominium	1575 Euclid Avenue
33139	Federation Towers	757 West Avenue
33139	Ida Fisher Community School	1424 Drexel Avenue
33139	Mesivta High School	1965 Alton Road
33139	Miami Beach City Hall	1700 Convention Center Drive
33139	Ocean Front Auditorium	1001 Ocean Drive
33139	Ocean Point Condominium	345 Ocean Drive
33139	Rebecca Towers	150 Alton Road
33139 33139	South Beach Alton Middle School	920 Alton Road
	South Shore Community Center	833 – 6th Street
33139	Street Intersection	Alton Road & 2 Street
33139	Street Intersection	Ocean Drive & 4 Street 2301 Alton Road
33140	Bayshore Golf Club Crown Hotel	4041 Collins Avenue
33140		
33140	Scott Rakow Youth Center Sherry Frontenac Hotel	2600 Sheridan Avenue
33140 33140	Street Intersection	6565 Collins Avenue Collins Avenue & 29 Street
33140	Temple Beth Shalom	4144 Chase Avenue
33160	Arlen House Condominiums	158 Street & Collins Avenue
33100	South Miami-Dade County	South From Key Biscayne
33030	Boardwalk Mobile Home Park	100 NE 6 Ave
33030	Four Seasons Mobile Home Park	220 NE 12 Avenue
33030	Homestead Mobile Home Park	SW 2 Road & East Mowry Drive
33030	Laura Saunders Elementary	505 SW 8 Street
33030	Street Intersection	NE 8 Street & US1
33030	Street Intersection	451 East Lucy Street
33032	Hud - Pine Island One	SW 127 Avenue & SW 272 Street
33032	Isla Gold Mobile Home Park	26401 South Dixie Highway
33032	Naranja Elementary	13990 SW 264 Street
33032	Princetonian Mobile Home Park	SW 127 Avenue & SW 252 Terrace
33032	Street Intersection	SW 280 Street & SW 145 Avenue
33033	Leisure Mobile Home Park	28501 SW 152 Avenue
33033	Palm Mobile Home Park	NW 16 Avenue & NE 120 Street
33033	Pine Isle Mobile Home Park	28600 SW 132 Avenue
33033	Royal Colonial Trailer Park (Everglades Community)	14850 SW 280 Street
33033	South Dade Camp	13600 SW 321 Street
33033	Wayside	Old Dixie Highway & SW 290 Street
33034	Andrew Center	19200 SW 380 Street
33034	Florida City - City Hall	404 West Palm Drive
33034	Gateway Estates Mobile Home Park	35250 SW 177 Court
33034	Gateway West Mobile Home Park	35303 SW 180 Avenue
33034	Goldcoaster Mobile Home Park	SW 187 Avenue & SW 348 Street
33133	Harris Field	1034 NE 8 Street
33133	Homestead Senior Center	Krome Avenue & 16 Street
33133	Police Athletic League	600 SW 14 Avenue
33134	Gables Mobile Home Park	SW 8 Street & SW 44 Avenue
33135	Silver Court Mobile Home Park	SW 8 Street & SW 32 Avenue
33143	South Miami Community Action Agency	6125 SW 68 Street
33143	Street Intersection	SW 62 Avenue & SW 68 Street
33144	Miami Terrace Mobile Home Park	SW 70 Avenue & SW 10 Street
33144	White House Mobile Home Park	SW 68 Street & SW 8 Street
33149	Key Biscayne Fire Station	2 Crandon Boulevard
33155	Street Intersection	SW 16 Street & SW 60 Court
33157	East Ridge Retirement Village	SW 87 Avenue & SW 193 Terrace
33157	Street Intersection	SW 152 Street & SW 112 Avenue
33157	West Perrine Community Action Agency	17801 Homestead Avenue
33165	Pioneer Mobile Home Park	SW 89 Court & SW 40 Street
33170	Redland Mobile Home Park	SW 232 Street & SW 174 Avenue
33170	Silver Palm Place Mobile Home Park	17350 SW 232 Street
33174	Street Intersection	West Flagler Street & NW 102 Avenue
33174	Street Intersection	SW 4 Street & SW 108 Avenue
33184	Street Intersection	SW 131 Avenue & SW 13 Street
33187	Isla Gold Mobile Home Park	19800 SW 180 Avenue
33189	Mays Middle School	11700 Hainlin Mill Drive

